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Subject Trench 31/34/94 groundwater monitoring

Deb/Great: Thanks for the chance to look over the draft GW monitoring plan. Unfortunately, I see this plan as reflecting problems with several fundamental issues. I've put together a draft regulatory analysis - I've not spent time trying to polish the analysis, and its probably pretty thick in places, but I think it does frame the issues we need to talk about. I'm afraid I'm asking that we drive head-on into key issues that have dogged "LLBG" for years - I don't see any way of dodging the bullet any more.

I'm very much looking forward to our discussions, I hope with a clear focus on a path forward to defensible permit conditions. My time in Richland will be spotty at best for the next couple of weeks, but I'm planning on being available all of 9/22, and likely most if not all of 9/23. Feel free to set up whatever time we need.

Deb: I'm also attaching a copy of the Hanford Groundwater Strategy that we briefly touched on last time I was in town.

Dave



Regulatory Analysis - groundwater monitoring.doc GW Strategy Final oct1.doc